DEPARTMENT OF ECOLOGY

IN THE MATTER OF PENALTY ASSESSMENT AGAINST Jack Tatom, Mill Manager Rayonier, Inc.)))	NOTICE OF PENALTY INCURRED AND DUE No. DE 96AQI095
To:	Rayonier, Inc. P. O. Box 191 Port Angeles, Washington 98362		·

Notice is given that the Department has assessed a penalty against you in the amount of \$2,000 under the provisions of Ch. 70.94 RCW.

The penalty is based on the following Department findings: On July 26, 1996 at 1209 hours Jim Werner from the Olympic Air Pollution Control Authority and on July 31, 1996 at 1427 hours Don Nelson took visual emission observations (opacity readings) of Rayonier recovery boiler stacks in Port Angeles. The average opacity readings were 25.5 percent on July 26, 1996 and 30.6 percent on July 31, 1996 violating the opacity requirements of Regulatory Order Docket No. DE 80-196.

The penalty is due and payable by you within thirty (30) days of your receipt of this Notice. Please send your penalty payment to: Department of Ecology c/o Fiscal Cashier, P.O. Box 5128, Lacey Washington 98503-0210.

If you wish to contest this penalty, you have two options. You may file an Application for Relief from Penalty with the Department explaining why the Department should reduce or cancel the penalty. A form is enclosed for your convenience. It must be signed under oath before a notary public or other person authorized to take oaths.

If you choose to submit an Application for Relief from Penalty, you must do so within fifteen (15) days of your receipt of the Notice. Send your Application for Relief to: Don Nelson, Department of Ecology P.O. Box 46700,Olympia Washington 98504-7600. At the same time send a copy to: Department of Ecology c/o Enforcement Officer, P.O. Box 47600, Olympia Washington 98504-7600. After reviewing you Application for Relief, the Department will notify you of its decision.

If you choose not to submit an Application for Relief but still wish to contest the penalty, you may file an appeal with the Pollution Control Hearings Board. Your appeal must be filed within thirty (30) days of your receipt of this Notice. Send your appeal to: The Pollution Control Hearings Board, P.O. Box 40903, Olympia Washington 98504-0903. At the same time, copies of your appeal must be sent to: Department of Ecology c/o Enforcement Officer, P.O. Box 47600, Olympia Washington 98504-7600; and (enter inspector's name) P.O. Box 47600, Olympia Washington 98504-7600. These procedures are consistent with Chapter 43.21B RCW and its implementing regulations.

DATED this 2 day of 1996 at Olympia, Washington.

M. F. Palko, Supervisor Industrial Section

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